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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Support

SUBJECT : Drug Abuse Display

- 1. You are familiar with the drug abuse display sponsored by our office. It is requested that you consider the display being shown as a scientific exhibit at the Annual Convention of the American Medical Association to be held in San Francisco June 18-22, 1972.
- 2. For a display to be shown at the Convention, approval is required by the AMA Council on Scientific Assembly and the council section relating to the topic. In this instance we would be inclined to submit the application as a Preventive Medicine item designed to educate organizations and local communities.
- 3. There is no assurance that an application would be approved. If it were, such an exhibit might further demonstrate the Agency's basic attitude toward drugs and their abusive use. Attached is a copy of the call for participation, along with photographs of the current display. A suggested change in the introductory legend is included.

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Attachments

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